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SUBJ: NARCOTICS -- STRENGTHENING OF ONDP

1. LA PAZ PRESS OF MARCH 15 HAS PUBLISHED LONG AWAITED RESOLUTION FROM THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL POLICE RESTATING THE PRIMACY OF THE NATIONAL OFFICE OF NARCOTICS AND DANGEROUS DRUGS (ONDP) IN NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT AND EVELATING THE ONDP TO GIVE IT FULL NATIONAL JURISDICTION OVER ALL POLICE AGENCIES WITH REGARD TO NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT.

2. COMMENT: THE PURPOSE OF THE RESOLUTION IS TO ELIMINATE CONFLICTS AND JURISDICTIONAL DISPUTES BETWEEN THE SEVERAL POLICE AGENCIES CONCERNING NARCOTICS. IN THE PAST SUCH CONFLICTS HAVE ON OCCASION BEEN DETRIMENTAL TO POLICE NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT. ACCORDINGLY, THE NARCOTICS COORDINATOR, PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISOR AND THE BNDD SAIC FOR SOME TIME NOW HAVE BEEN URGING THE AUTHORITIES, INCLUDING THE MINISTER OF INTERIOR, TO ISSUE SUCH A RESOLUTION, WHICH, WHILE IT MAY NOT FULLY SOLVE THE PROBLEM, REPRESENTS A STEP FORWARD IN ACHIEVING IMPROVED POLICE COORDINATION. SIRACUSA

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